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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Vecchio, Kenneth )

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Group Art Unit: 3641

Filed: February 11, 2002 )

) Examiner: Johnson, S.

For: PROCESS FOR MAKING METALLIC/INTERMETALLIC COMPOSITE LAMINATE  
MATERIALS, AND MATERIALS SO PRODUCED ESPECIALLY FOR USE IN  
LIGHTWEIGHT ARMOR )

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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §121

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the first Office Action mailed June 27, 2002,  
the time for response to which is extended by the accompanying  
Petition, please amend the above-identified patent application as  
follows:

In The Claims

Please cancel claims 44-49 without prejudice as being  
directed to an un-elected invention.

REMARKS

Claims 1-14, 16-19, 21-29 and 41-43 are in the application.  
Consideration and substantive examination are respectfully  
requested.

1. Requirement for Restriction Under 35 U.S.C. §121

A Requirement for Restriction Under 35 U.S.C. §121 has been